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RESPONSE TO THE NOTICE INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL)

Dear Sir:

The Applicant hereby responds to the Notice Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional) of June 28, 2002, and submits the following documents:

- (1) Copy of Notice Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional);
- (2) Reformatted Sheets of Drawings were filed in the Supplemental Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts on July 1, 2002; and

(3) Post Card.

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NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL)

Filing Date Granted

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 06/11/2002 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 01/29/2002 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

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